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United State Patent and Trade Mark Office
Commissioner for Patents
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Re: **PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF APPLICATION**
Application No: 09/825,628

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b), the Applicant of the abovementioned application requests to revive the application. The application became abandoned following failure to file a reply to an Office Action by 28 March 2007.

The delay in filing the reply was unintentional. The reason for such delay is as follows:

During December 2007 our office took carriage of this matter from Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP. By the time we received the file the six month period for responding had already expired.

I was an in-house patent attorney of BigBand Networks Inc. for several months (few years ago) and provided various intellectual property services to BigBand Networks Inc. during the last six years. I am familiar with the Intellectual Property policy of BigBand Networks Inc, and know (personally) the people that are in charge of the Intellectual Policy of BigBand networks.

From my knowledge (and after discussing the issue with some of the managers of BigBand Inc.) I am aware that it had no intention of abandoning the application.

We do not recall receiving any notice from the previous law firm regarding the Office Action deadline.

Thus, the failure to file the reply within the requisite period occurred unintentional on behalf of both the Applicants and our office.

The petition filing fee of \$1540.00, "Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)" and a response to the Non-Final Office Action date 9 December 2007 are attached herewith.

If you have any further questions regarding this petition, please contact me on the details provided above.

Yours Sincerely
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